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SUBJECT: ANTITRUST INVESTIGATION OF CERTAIN FOREIGN
AIR CARRIERS

REF: STATE 157625

1. IN ABSENCE RCAA, RAA REP INFORMED AIR FRANCE
DIRECTOR GENERAL PIERRE COT OF PERTINENT PARTS
REFTEL.

2. COT'S REACTIONS WERE THAT THE STATEMENT ON
PRICE FIXING WAS INCORRECT. NO AGREEMENTS ON
RATES WERE MADE AFTER IATA MEETING. THIS CAN
BE EASILY ESTABLISHED, HE ADDED SINCE TARIFFS
FILED BY EUROPEAN CARRIERS DIFFER FROM THOSE FILED
BY US CARRIERS. HE HAS NO OBJECTIONS AT ALL TO GRAND
JURY INQUIRY, HIS PROBLEM WAS WITH TACTLESS WAY
SUPOENAS SERVED TO FOREIGN AIRLINE OFFICIALS WHILE
ATTENDING INTERNATIONAL MEETING IN THE U.S. HE ADDED
IN THE U.S. THERE IS ONE COMING UP IN SAN DIEGO
SHORTLY. ARE WE GOING TO BE PERMITTED TO CONDUCT
OUR BUSINESS WITHOUT HARASSMENT OF THAT
SORT?"

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